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MEMORANDUM FOR: CHIEF, PE DIVISION, DD/P

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SUBJECT : Request for [] Mission AI Radar Tape Recordings

25X1 1. Since approximately 1 March 1959, DPD has, through verbal requests to PE/Air, been trying to obtain sample recordings of reported CHICOM AI Radar "lock-ons" on [] aircraft. The purpose of this effort is to subject said recordings to technical analysis both to satisfy ourselves that "lock-ons" are being made, and to firm up circuit design of the repeater [] now under consideration. To this date no sample AI radar recordings have been made available.

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2. A review of post-mission reports indicates that [] missions E-252 and E-257 of 4 May 1959 should contain excellent samples of CHICOM AI Radar and would, therefore, be of high value in resolving this problem.

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3. It is requested that duplicates of the SLINT tape recordings of the missions discussed in para 3 above be procured and transmitted to DPD, Attention: [] at the earliest possible date.

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Note: This request should not be confused with the OSI request for tapes of two [] missions made to check overall operator proficiency system setup and analysis efficiency for which tapes of 229 and 230 (aborted missions) were furnished.

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